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# GOOD BANK SHOWING

The Increased Surplus Caused a Fresh Selling Movement.

New York Stock Market Bouyant at the Close-Indianapolis Cereals Dull and Uninteresting.

At New York, Saturday, money on call was easy all day at 11/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper was 6@8 per cent. In sterling exchange there was nothing doing, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.84@4.84% for demand and \$4.82@4.82% for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.83@4.85; com-

mercial bills, \$4.81@4.81%. Silver certificates, 731/2/074c. Bar silver closed at 73%c per ounce; Mexican dollars at 58%c. At London bar silver closed at

33%d. The weekly statement of New York banks shows the following changes: 

 Reserve, increase
 \$,744,725

 Loans, decrease
 \$8,744,725

 Specie, increase
 5,339,100

 Legal tenders, increase
 5,239,200

 Deposits, increase..... 9,230,700 

the 25 per cent. rule. The total sales of stocks on the Exchange were 92,000 shares. A fairly active speculation was carried on for the two hours of business Saturday. Discouraging Washington advices caused some slight selling at the opening, resulting in fractional declines, but the dealings quickly regained strength when it was figured out that there was really no change in the Senatorial situation. Until the close a decidedly firm tone prevailed, which was most marked on the publication of the very excellent bank statement. A fresh selling movement was organized on this showing of the banks, the increase in surplus being greater than was anticipated. The market was buoyant at the close, the best prices in the day being made in the final dealings. Sugar was sold up on reports of heavy earnings and that the company had out on call loans sufficient cash to pay a 12 per cent, divi-dend. Nearly all the active shares were higher at the close than were yesterday's

final figures, the range on the active list The market for railway and miscellaneous bonds was strong, and higher prices resulted generally from the day's trading. Government, bonds were steady and State bonds were dull. Closing quotations were: United States Fours, reg......111 United States Fours, coup......111 Pacific sixes of '95......102

Adams Express......141 American Express......110 Lake Shore......124 Louisville & New Albany..... 141/2

Northern Pacific. 71%
Northern Pacific, pref. 227%
Northwestern 102
Northwestern, pref. 138 Pullman Palace......1681/2 Rock Island 641/8
United States Express 52
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific 7
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific, pref 157/8

Wells-Fargo Express......125 Western Union..... 83% The board of directors of the General Electric Company has finally made an interesting announcement to its stockholders concerning the sale of its treasury securities, which, it is declared, have a nominal value of \$12,000,000. The securities have been sold to a syndicate for an amount under-stood to be \$4,000,000, and this money will be used to take up the company's floating debt. Under the terms of the sale to the syndicate, however, it was agreed that an opportunity should be given to stockhold-

#### accepted by the syndicate, and this oppor-tunity is set forth in a circular just issued. LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

ers to subscribe to the purchase price as

The Trade of the Week Was Disappointing, with Few Fluctuations. In most departments trade, in the week closing on Saturday, was short of expectations. Business was really active only on two days. Traveling salesmen who came in Saturday were rather discouraged. Retail merchants in the cities and small towns are not doing the business they expected, and collections are slow. Coffees lost the half cent advance of ten days ago and sugars cast steel, 9c; tire steel, 2%@3c; spring ley malt dull; Western, 65@80c; two rowed, carry an easier tone. Dry-goods houses are steel, 4½@5c.

Leather. State, 70@75c; six rowed, State, 80@85c. having a fair trade on the more common grades of goods, but high-priced goods sell slow. Boot and shoe men report trade fair as do the leather dealers. On Commission row it was a dull week. The shutting down of the industries at such points as Anderson, Muncie, Marion and Elwood has greatly reduced the demand for fruits and vegetables, aside from potatoes. The latter are on the decline in price on large receipts. Poultry, eggs and butter are easy in price the last week. Receipts have increased

The local grain market drags along much in the same rut from week to week. A day or two, in which there is more activity and prices advance, is followed by two or three days of quiet in which prices lose all the advance. Yesterday track bids ruled as fol-

lows, a shade lower than on Monday:
Wheat—No. 2 red, 57%c; No. 3 red, 54%c.
Corn—No. 1 white, 39%c; No. 2 white,
39%c; No. 3 white, 39c; No. 4 white, 30@35c;
No. 2 white mixed, 39c; No. 3 white mixed, 38½c; No. 4 white mixed, 30@35c; No. 2 yellow, 39c; No. 3 yellow, 38c; No. 4 yellow, 30 @35c; No. 2 mixed, 38½c; No. 3 mixed, 38c; No. 4 mixed, 30@32c; ear corn, 40c. Oats-No. 2 white, S0c; No. 3 white, 29c; No. 2 mixed, 28c; No. 3 mixed, 25½c; re-Hay-Choice timothy, \$13; No. 1, \$12.25;

No. 2, \$10.50; No. 1 prairie, \$6.75; mixed, \$8; Rye-No. 2, 45c for car lots; 40c for wagon Bran, \$12.

Poultry and Other Produce.

(Prices Paid by Dealers.) Poultry-Hens, 6c per lb; young chickens, 6c per lb; turkeys, toms, 6c per lb; hens, 8c per 1b; fancy large young turkeys, 8c; small and poor, 5c; ducks, 6c per 1b; geese, \$4.20 per doz. for choice.

Eggs-Shippers paying 17c. Butter-Choice, 146 16c; mixed, 10@12c. Honey-New, 15@18c. Feathers-Prime geese, 40c per 1b; mixed duck, 20c per lb Beeswax-20c for yellow; 15c for dark. Wool-Unwashed medium wool, 16c; unwashed coarse or braid, 12@14c, unwashed fine merino, 10@13c; tub-washed, 18@23c;

burry and cotted wool, 3c to 6c less than above prices. HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

Hides-No. 1 green hides, 2½c; No. 1 G. S. hides, 3¾c; No. 2 G. S. hides, 2¾c; No. 1 calf hides, 5c; No. 2 calf hides, 3½c. Tallow-No. 1 tallow, 5c; No. 2 tallow, 4c. Grease-White, 4/2c; yellow, 31/2c; brown,

Bones-Dry, \$12@13 per ton.

## THE JOBBING TRADE.

(The quotations given below are the selling prices of wholesale dealers.) Candles and Nuts.

Candies-Stick, 7c per 1b; common mixed, 7c; G. A. R. mixed, 8c; Banner mixed, 10c; cream mixed, 10½c; old-time mixed, 8c.
Nuts-Soft-shelled almonds, 20c; English walnuts, 16c; Brazil nuts, 10c; filberts, 11c; peanuts, roasted, 7@8c; mixed nuts, 15c. Canned Goods.

Peaches — Standard, 3-pound, \$1.85@2; 3-pound seconds, \$1.40@1.50; 3-pound pic, 90@95c; California standard, \$2.25@2.50; Calseconds, \$1.85@2. Blackberries, 2-pound, 85@35c; raspberries, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.25; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.25@1.35; choice, \$2@2.25; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, \$1301.10; light, 70@75c; 2-pound full, \$2@2.10; light, \$1.20@ 1.30; string beans, \$5@95c; Lima beans, \$1.10 @1.30; peas, marrowfat, \$1.10@1.20; early June, \$1.25@1.50; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, \$1.20@1.25; strawberries, \$1.20@1.30; salmon (lbs), \$1.45@2.20; 3-pound tomatoes,

\$1,20@1.25. Conl and Coke. Anthracite coal, all sizes, \$7.50 per ton; Mattsburg and Raymond City, \$4.25 per ton:

Jackson, \$4.25; block, \$3.25; Island City, \$3; Blossburg and English carrel, \$5. All nut coals 50c below above quotations. Coke — Connellsville, \$3.75 per load; crushed, \$3.25 per load; lump, \$3 per load.

Dried Fruits. Figs-Layer, 14@15c per lb.
Peachas-Common sun-dried, 7@8c per lb.
common evaporated, 14@16c; California Apricots-Evaporated, 16@18c. Prunes-Turkish, 8@3c per lb; California, Currants-51/46c per lb.
Raisins-Loose Muscatel, \$1.75@1.85 per
box; London layer, \$1.85@2 per box; Valen-

cia, 868%c per lb; layer, 9610c.

Drugs. Alcohol, \$2.14@2.40; asafetida, 34c; alum, 4@5c; camphor, 60@65c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloroform, 60@65c; copperas, bris, 85c@31; cream tartar, pure, 26@28c; indige, 80@81c; licorice, Calab, genuine, 30@45c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., per oz, \$2.45; madder, 16@18c; cil, castor, per gal, \$1.25@1.50; cil, bergamont, per lb, \$3.50; opium, \$2.90; quinine, P. & W., per oz, 29@40c; balsam copaiba, 60@65c; soap, castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda bicarb, 4½@6c; salts, Epsom, 4@5c; sulphur, cour, 5@5c; saltpeter, 8@20c; turpentine, 36@40c; glycerine, 16@20c; iodide potassium, \$3@3.10; bromide potassium, 38@40c; chlorate potash, 25c; borax, 12@14c; cinchonidia, 12@15c; carbolic acid, 22@26c.

Oils—Linseed oil, 37@40c per gal; coal oil, legal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 20@30c; miners', 45c. Lard oils—Winter strained, in barrels, 80c per gal; in half barrels, 30c per gal extra.

Dry Goods. Bleached Sheetings—Androscoggin L, 6½c; Berkeley, No. 60, 9c; Cabot, 7c; Capital, 6c; Cumberland, 7½c; Dwight Archor, 8½c; Fruit of Loom, 8c; Farwell, 7½c; Fitch-ville, 6½c; Full Width, 5½c; Gilt Edge, 6c; Gilded Age, 7c; Hill, 7½c; Hope, 7c; Linwood, 7½c; Lonsdale, 8c; Lonsdale Cambric, 10½c; Masonville, 8½c; Peabody, 6c; Pride of the West, 11½c; Quinebaugh, 6½c; Star of the Nation, 6c; Ten Strike, 6½c; Pepperell, 9-4, 18c; Pepperell, 10-4, 20c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 20½c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 22½c.

Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A, 6½c; Argyle, 6c; Boott C, 5c; Buck's Head, 6½c; Clifton CCC, 5½c; Constitution, 40-inch, 7½c; Carlisle, 40-inch, 7c; Dwight Star, 7½c; Great Falls E, 6c; Great Falls J, 5c; Hill Fine, 7c; Indian Head, 6½c; Lawrence LL, 4¾c; Lockwood B, 6c; A, 5½c; Princess, 5¾c; Saranac R, 6½c; Trion Sea Island, 5c; Pepperell E, 6½c; Pepperell R, 5¾c; Pepperell, 9-4, 16c; Pepperell R, 5¾c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 18½c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 20½c.

Prints—Allen dress styles, 5½c; Allen's staples, 5c; Allen TR, 5½c; Allen robes, 5½c; American indigo, 5c; American robes, 5½c; American shirtings, 4c; Arnold meri-51/2c; American shirtings, 4c; Arnold meri-no, 61/2c; Arnold LLC, 71/2c; Arnold LCB, 81/2c; Arnold Gold Seal, 10c; Cocheco fancy, 5e; Cocheco madders, 4%c; Hamilton fancy, 5½c; Manchester fancy, 5½c; Merrimac fancy, 5½c; Merrimac pinks and purples, 6c; Pacific fancy, 5½c; Pacific robes, 6c; Pacific mourning, 5½c; Simpson Eddystone, 5½c; Simpson Berlin solids, 5½c; Simpson's oil finish, 6c; Simpson's grays, 51/2c; Simpson's mournings, 51/2c. Ginghams—Amoskeag staples, 5%c; Amoskeag Persian Dress, 6%c; Bates Warwick Dress, 6%c; Johnson BF Fancies, 8%c; Lancaster, 5%c; Lancaster Normandies, 6%c; Carrolton, 4%; Renfrew Dress, 7%c; Whit-tenton Heather, 6%c; Calcutta Dress Styles,

Prime Cambrics—Manville, 4%c; S. S. & Son's, 4½c; Masonville, 4%c; Garner, 4%c.

Tickings—Amoskeag, ACA, 12½c; Conestoga, BF, 14½; Cordis, 140, 13½c; Cordis, FT, 13½c; Cordis, ACE, 12½c; Hamilton awning, 10½c; Kimono Fancy, 17c; Lenox Fancy, 18c; Methuen AA, 12c; Oakland, AF, 7c; Portsmouth, 121/2c; Susquehanna, 141/2c; Shetucket SW, 71/2c; Shetucket F, 8c; Swift River, 51/2c. Grain Bags—Amoskeag, \$15.50; American, \$15.50; Franklinville, \$18; Harmony, \$15.50;

Stark, \$19.50.

Groceries.

Sugar-Hard sugars, 5%@6%c; confectioners' A, 5%@5%c; off A, 5%@5%c; A, 5%@5%c; extra C, 5%@5%c; yellow C, 4%@5c; dark yellow, 44,44.c. Coffee—Good, 201/2021c; prime, 22023c; strictly prime, 24026c; fancy green and yellows, 26027c; ordinary Java, 29030c; old government Java, 32@33c; roasted, 1-lb packages, 24%c. Molasses and Syrups-New Orleans mo-lasses, fair to prime, 30@40c; choice, 40@ 45e; syrups, 25@35c. Beans-Choice hand-picked havy, \$2.100 2.20 per bu; medlum hand-picked, \$2@2.10; limas, California, 4½@5c per fb. Rice—Louisiana, 3¾@5c; Carolina, 4½@

Honey-New York stock, 1-10 sections, 16@ 18c per 1b. Spices-Pepper, 16@18c; allspice, 12@15c; cloves, 20@25c; cassia, 10@12c; nutmegs, 70@ Salt-In car lots, 80@85c; small lots, 90@ Twine-Hemp, 12@18c per 15; wool, 8@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper, 15c; jute, 12@15c; cot-

ton, 16@25c,
Shot—\$1.50@1.55 per bag for drop.
Lead—7@7½c for pressed bars.
Wooden Dishes—No. 1, per 1,000, \$2.20; No.
2, \$2.50; No. 3, \$2.80; No. 5, \$3.50.
Flour Sacks (paper)—Plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$3.50; 1-16 brl, \$5; ½ brl, \$8; ½ brl, \$16; No. 2 drab, plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$4.25; 1-16, \$6.50; ½, \$10; ½, \$20; No. 1 cream, plain, 1-32, per 1,000, \$7; 1-16, \$8.75; ½, \$14.50; ½, \$28.50. Extra charge for printing.
Woodenware—No. 1 tubs, \$6.50@7; No. 2 \$28.50. Extra charge for printing.

Woodenware—No. 1 tubs, \$6.50@7; No. 2 tubs, \$5.50@6; No. 3 tubs, \$4@5; 3-hoop pails, \$1.70@1.75; 2-hoop pails, \$1.40@1.45; double wash-boards, \$2.25@2.75; common wash-boards, \$1.50@1.85; clothes pins, 50@85c per

Flour. Straight grades, \$2.70@3; fancy grades, \$2.90@3.15; patent flour, \$3.50@4; low grades,

Iron and Steel. Bar iron, 1.70@1.80c; horseshoe bar, 2%@ 3c; nail rod, 6c; plow slabs, 3c; American

Leather-Oak sole, 28@38c; hemlock sole, 22@28c; harness, 26@38c; skirting, 31@33c; single strap, 41c; black bridle, per doz, \$60 @95; fair bridle, \$60@78 per doz; city kip, 55@75c; French kip, \$5c@\$1.10; city calf-skins, \$5c@\$1; French calfskins, \$1@1.80. Nails and Horseshoes.

Steel cut nails, \$1.30; wire nails, \$1.60 rates; horseshoes, per keg, \$4; mule shoes, per keg, \$5; horse nails, \$4@5. Oil Cake.

Oil cake, \$24 per ton; oil meal, \$24. Produce, Fruits and Vegetables, Apples-Maiden-blush, \$4@4.50; 20-ounce ppins, \$3.50@4; rambos, \$3.50; bulk stock,

Cranberries-Cape Cod, \$5.50 per brl; \$2.25 Celery-25@35c per bunch.
Peaches-California, \$1@1.25 per box.
Sweet Potatoes-Baltimore, \$2.25@2.50 per

brl; Jersey, \$2.75@3. Cabbage—\$1.10@1.25 per brl.
Onions—75c per bu or \$2 per brl.
Grapes—Concords, 15c per 10-pound basket; Catawbas, 18c. Pears-\$4.50@5 per brl. Ouinces-\$4004.50 per brl.

Potatoes-\$2.25 per brl, or 65@70c per bu. Lemons-Choice, \$4 per box; fancy, \$5. Bananas-\$1@1.50 per bunch, according to size and quality. Cheese-New York full cream, 121/20181/20; skims, 5@7c per 1b. Jamaica Oranges-\$5@5.50 per brl.

Chestnuts-\$6 per bu. Provisions. Bacon-Clear sides, 50 lbs average, 1214c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 13c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 1314c; clear bellies, 18 to 22 lbs average, 13c; 12 to 14 lbs average, 1234c; clear backs, 20 to 25 lbs average, 1234c; 12 to 20 lbs average, 13c; light, 9 lbs average, 134c.
Shoulders—English-cured, 12 lbs average, 1014c; 16 lbs average, 9%c. Hams-Sugar-cured, 18 to 20 lbs average, 11%c; 15 lbs average, 12c; 11% lbs average, 12%c; 10 lbs average, 12%c; block hams,

average, 9c. Boneless Hams-Sugar-cured, 10c. Pickled Pork-Bean pork, clear, per brl, 200 lbs, \$23.50; rump pork, \$18.50 per brl. Breakfast Bacon-Clear, English-cured, Lard-Kettle rendered, in tierces, 121/4c; Indiana, 11%c. Seeds.

California Hams-Sugar-cured, 10 to 12 lbs

Clover-Choice recleaned, 60-1b bu, \$4.50% 4.75; prime, \$4.50@4.75; English, choice, \$4.50@4.75; Alsike, choice, \$7.50@8; Alfalfa, choice, \$5.55@6. Timothy—45-1b bu, choice, \$2@2.15; strictly prime, \$1.85@2. Bluegrass—Fancy, 14-1b bu, \$1.15@1.20; extra clean, 85@90c. Orchard grass-Extra, \$1.35@1.50. Red top-Choice, 50@ 60c; extra clean, 38@40c. English bluegrass, 24-lb bu, \$2.40@2.50.

Tinners' Supplies. Best brand charcoal tin IC, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$7.50; IX, 10x14, 14x20 and 12x12, \$9.50; IC, 14x20, roofing tin, \$6@6.50; IC, 20x28, \$12@13; block tin, in pigs, 25c; in bars, 27c. Iron—27 B iron, 3'4c; C iron, 5c; galvanized, 70 per cent. discount. Sheet zinc, 5%466c. Copper bottoms, 22c. Planished copper, 25c. Solder, 15@16c.

A farmer in China, Me., recently heard smothered squawking in his henhouse, and 'twas midnight. When he went out he found the henhouse door ajar, and sounds indicated that the intruder was still within.

A, 51-16@54c; mold A, 54@59-16c; standard A, 51-16@54c; cut-loaf, 56@513-16c; crushed, 56@513-16c; powdered, 57-16@55c; granulated, 53-16@56c; cubes, 57-16@55c. Therefore, the farmer slammed the door, bolted it, and posted himself outside the henhouse until morning did appear. Then he looked in the window and discerned a neighbor, who came contritely forth and paid the farmer \$28 for time, loss of sleep, etc. Still people say there is no money in

# GRAIN ON THE DECLINE

Wheat Shows Another 1 1-2c Loss, with Corn and Oats Lower.

Some of the Most Bearish News of the Season Regarding Crop Conditions Given Out at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21 .- Nothing helped wheat to-day, and the last prices were the lowest of the session, being 11/2c less than last night's figures. Corn is 1/2c off, and oats %@1/c. Provisions are about unchanged. Everything was at hand to make a sick market in wheat. Cables were so indifferent as to be positively bearish. New York messages were discouraging about fresh export sales. Washington news was no better, and reports as to the movement of wheat were the nint bearish of the season. Exports, wheat and flour, for the week, by Bradstreet's dropped off to 2,700,000 bu, compared with 3,139,000 bu a year ago, and 3,270,000 bu two years ago. The same authority estimated the total wheat crop nearly fifty millions higher than the government figures at 440,000,000 bu, and Beer-

prices receding 1/401/2c and closing at about the bottom. The depression in wheat and the light cash demand caused the decline. The business in provisions was scarcely worth reporting. There was a change of but 21/2c in any product, for January, the leading future. The October price was marked up in all products, but this was to represent the cash business. At the close, October pork was quoted 25c up, lard, .071/2c

up and ribs, .10c up. There were indications of ample offerings of vessel room for loading next week, with the demand only fair. Rates held steady at 24c for wheat and 2c for corn to Buffalo and 31/2c for corn to Kingston. Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 160 cars; corn, 680 cars; oats, 200 cars; hogs, 25,000. The leading futures ranged as follows:

Open- High- Low- Clos-

ing. est. est. Wheat-Oct. ... Dec. .... May .... Corn-Oct. ..... Nov. .... Dec. .... May .... Oats-Oct. ..... Nov. ... Dec. .... May .... Lard—Oct. .... 9.80 Nov. ... 9.20 Jan. ... 8.40 Short ribs—Oct. 8.90 Jan. ... 7.421/2 7.421/2 7.40 Cash quotations were as follows: Flour nominally unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 61½c; No. 2 red, 61½c; No. 2 corn, 39¾c; No. 2 oats, 27@27¼c; No. 2 white, 30@30½c; No. 3 white, 28@29½c; No. 2 rye, 43½c; No. 2 barley nominal; No. 3, f. o. b., 40@55c; No. 4, f. o. b., 38@4c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.00½; prime timothy seed, \$3.25; mess pork, per brl, \$17.50 @18; lard, per 1b, 9.82½@9.92½e; short-rib sides (loose), 9.37½@9.50c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 7@7.25c; short-clear sides (boxed), 9.25@9.50c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, \$1.14. On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the butter market was easy; creameries, 230 281/20; dairies, 18@24c. Eggs steady at 20

Receipts-Flour, 12,000 bris; wheat, 63,000 bu; corn, 343,000 bu; oats, 315,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 105,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 5,000 brls; wheat, 137,000 bu; corn, 570,000 bu; oats, 197,000 bu; rye, 2,000 bu; barley, 62,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21 .- Flour-Receipts, 17,700 packages; exports, 10,000 brls; sales, 8,000 packages. The market was dull and easier to sell; winter wheat, low grades, \$1.70@2.35; low extras, \$1.70@2.55; low fair to fancy, \$2.35@3.30; low patents, \$3.50@3.80; Minnesota clear, \$2.35@2.90; Minnesota straights, \$3.10@3.80. Corn meal steady; yellow Western, \$2.60@2.75; Brandywine, \$2.85. Rye dull; Western, boat loads, 53@55c. Barley dull; No. 2 Milwaukee, 66@68c. Bar-Wheat-Receipts, 375,400 bu; exports,

000 bu. Sales, 1,040,000 bu futures, 32,000 bu spot. The spot market was %c lower and uull; No. 3 red store and elevator, 691/4c; afloat, 68%c; f. o. b., 68%c; No. 3 red, 65%c; No. 1 Northern, 71c. Options dull and weak; opened %c off on lower cables and some foreign selling, sold off %c more and closed weak at %c net decline. No. 2 red, October closed at 67%c; November closed at 68%c; December, 69 7-16@69 13-16c, closing

Corn—Receipts, 93,000 bu; exports, 44,100 bu. Sales, 160,000 bu futures, 32,000 bu spot. Spots dull and ½c lower; No. 2, 47c in elevator, 47@47%c afloat. Options very dull at 1/2c decline in sympathy with wheat; October closed at 46%c; November, 46%c, closing at 46%c; December closed at 47%c; May, 48%c, closing at 48%c.

Oats—Receipts, 131,000 bu; exports, 3,800 bu; sales, 20,000 bu futures, 31,000 bu spot. Spots dull and neglected; options dull at %c decline; October closed at 34c; Novem-

ber, 34c; December, 34%c; May, 36%c; No. 2, 34c; No. 2 white, 36%@36%c; No. 2 Chicago, 35c; No. 3, 33%c; No. 3 white, 35c; mixed Western, 34%@35%c; white Western, Hay steady; shipping, 60@65c; good to Hops steady; State, common to choice, 19@23c; Pacific coast, 19@23c. Hides steady; wet-salted, New Orleans selected, 4@5c; Buenos, 11c; Texas dry-

Leather steady; hemlocks sole, Buenos Ayres, light and heavy weights, 7@19c.
Cut meats dull; pickled bellies, 11@124c; pickled shoulders, 7@7%c; pickled hams, 10@104c. Lard firm; Western steam closed at 10.25c. Option sales: October, 10.30c, nominal; November, 9.75c, nominal; January, 8.05c, nominal. Pork steady; family, \$20@

Butter weak; State dairy, 19@27c; State creamery, 24@28c; Western dairy, 171/2@22c; Western creamery, 21@29c; Western factory, 19@20c; Elgins, 29c; imitation cream-Cheese steady; State, large, 114@11%c; fancy, 11%c; part skims, 4@9%c; full skims,

Eggs duli and heavy; State and Pennsylvania, 231/20231/2c; ice-house, 18@20c; Western, fresh, 211/20221/2c. Receipts, 4,742 pack-Tallow easier; city (\$2 per package), 5c bid. Cotton-seed oil firm; crude, 36@36½c; yellow, 39@40c. Rice firm; domestic, fair to extra, 3@51/2c; Rice firm; domestic, fair to extra, 3@5½c;
Japan, 4½@4½c. Molasses steady at 5c.
Coffee—Option sales opened 5 lower to 5
points higher, and ruled fairly active on
local trading, and closed steady at from 5
points lower to 10 points higher. Sales, 15,750 bags, including: October, 17.40c; November, 16.90c; December, 16.55@16.70c; January, 16.25c; February, 16.10c; March, 16@
16.05c; May, 15.60@15.65c. Spot coffee quiet
at 18%c. Havre market closed at ½@¾ per
pfg. lower and steady; sales, 8,000 bags.
Hamburg coffse market closed quiet at ¼@
½ pfg. advance; sales, 21,000 bags. London 1/2 pfg. advance; sales, 21,000 bags. London coffee market closed quiet at from 3d advance to 6d decline. Rio coffee market quiet; exchange, 10% d. Receipts, 3,000 bags; stock, 89,000 bags. Santos market quiet; receipts, 11,000 bags; stock, 67,000 bags; prices unchanged.

Sugar-Raw firm and quiet; fair refining, 34c; centrifugals, 96 test, 37c; refined quiet; No. 6, 44.04 15-16c; No. 7, 4 11-16047c; No. 8, 44.04 13-16c No. 9, 4 9-16044c; No. 10, 44.04 11-16c; No. 11, 4 7-16045c; No. 12, 44.047c;

Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Other Points.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 21.—Flour was very dull and unchanged. Wheat broke through the put price right after the opening, and this was an indication of the day. The greatest weakness was in May, in which the

pressure to sell was geater and with less demand than for December. There was hardly a reaction over 1/3c at any time, and the close was right at the bottom, December having slipped down to a parity with May, and closing 1/3c below yesterday. Receipts were too heavy in the Northwest, the week's exports too small, cables too disappointing this morning, and domestic markets too bearish. The close: No. 2 red, cash, 58%c. Options: October, 58%c bid; November, 59%c nominal; December, 60%@ 61%c, closing at 68%c 60%c asked; May, 68%c 669%c, closing at 68%c bid. Corn was distinguished by nothing more remarkable than extreme dullness. Very few trades were made, and little interest was taken. tinguished by nothing more remarkable than extreme duliness. Very few trades were made, and little interest was taken. Wheat dragged the price down, and there was a steady decline from the opening to the close, which was ½c for December and ¾c for May below yesterday. No. 2 mixed, cash and October closed at 36½c; November, 34½c asked; December, 34½@34½c, closing at 34½c bid; year and January, 34c bid; May, 37½c. Oats lower with wheat and corn; No. 2, cash and October, 27c; November, 27¼c nominal; December, 27½c bid; May, 31¼@31¾c asked. Rye firm; No. 2, this side, 42c. Barley—Nothing doing. Bran firm at 60c, east track. Clover lower at \$7 @8.15. Hay dull; prime to choice timothy, \$10@11. Butter and eggs unchanged. Corn meal steady at \$1.80@1.85. Whisky, \$1.14. Bagging, 5@6¼c. Cotton ties, 95c@\$1. Provisions steady. Pork, \$18.25 for standard mess. Lard, 9.37½c. Dry-salt meats—Loose shoulders, 6.87½c; longs and ribs, 9.50c; shorts, 9.75c. Bacon—Packed shoulders, 7.75c; longs and ribs, 10.75c; shorts, 11c. Receipts—Flour, 3,000 brls; wheat, 67,000 bu; corn, 58,000 bu; oats, 55,000 bu; rye, none; barley, 16,000 bu. Shipmerts—Flour, 8,000 brls; wheat, 3,000 bu; corn, 43,000 bu; oats, 16,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 1,000 bu. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 21.—Wheat dull

bohm and other foreign authorities, it was asserted, accepted the estimate as the nearest correct. There was nothing in sight additional except a prospect of an enormous increase in the visible supply for Monday. The local cars were up from ninety-two on Friday to 179. Minneapolis and Duluth had a flood of wheat, and showed over 1,300 cars also said the demand for cars was more than doubled. The opening was about %c lower than yesterday's closing, and with some slight fluctuations prices further fell off %@%c, closing comparatively steady. In corn, the fine weather for drying the new crop, the good receipts and the easiness in other grain markets were the main features governing the trade. Local speculators, as a rule, sold freely, while outside orders were chiefly on the wrong side. The market opened rather easy at %@%c decline and gradually receded %@%c with frequent slight fluctuations. Toward the close a little more steadiness prevailed and prices rallied %@%c.

There was a moderate trade in oats with prices receding %@%c and closing at about the strange of the comparative process of the comparative was a moderate trade in oats with prices receding %@%c and closing at about the series of the comparative was a moderate trade in oats with prices receding %@%c and closing at about the comparative prices western and Pennsylvania extras, \$2.25@2.56; No. 2 winter family, \$2.60@ tras, \$2.25@2.50; No. 2 winter family, \$2.60@ 2.80; Pennsylvania roller straights, \$3@3.25 Western winter clear, \$2.90@3.15; straight, \$3.15@3.35; winter patent, \$3.50@3.75; Minnesota clear, \$2.75@3.25; Minnesota patent, \$3.85 @4.15. The butter market continues firm and quiet. Receipts are not liberal, but neither is the demand urgent. Fancy goods, both solid and packed, and patent and print sell readily. Western creamery, 24@30c, according to quality; Pennsylvania creamery prints, 25@28c. Eggs-Offerings of new laid met with quick outlet, but they were scarce and prices were firmly held. Westerns, 22@23c, as to quality and location; Pennsylvania, 23c. Refined sugars-Production held well in hand and orders are accepted subject to delay in deliveries; prices strong. Powdered, 5%c; crown A, 5 9-16c; granulated and crystal, A, 5%c; confectioners' A, 5%c, subject to 3-16c rebate in addition to trade

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 21.—December wheat opened at 59%c, against 59%c yesterday, and closed at 58%c. May opened at 65%c, against 66%c yesterday and closed at 65c; track wheat closed, hard, 60%c; No. 1 Northern, 58%c; No. 2, 57c. The cash market was quite active with a good demand. Local millers, and elevator companies, were good. millers and elevator companies were good buyers. No. 1 Northern sold at 58% @591/2c, the most going at the latter figure; No. 2 Northern, 57@58c. Receipts, 557 cars; ship-ments, 37 cars. The demand for flour is fair and some concerns selling above their makes. Rates are unchanged. Shipments, 36,787 brls. Prices unchanged. The added daily output of mills grinding to-day will probably aggregate 34.500 brls. The bran market is steady at \$9 in bulk. Shorts slow at \$10@10.50. Shipments, 1,544 tons.

TOLEDO, Oct. 21.-Wheat was dull and lower; No. 2 cash and October, 63c; November, 63%c; December, 64%c; May, 71%c. Corn dull and steady; No. 2 cash, 40%c. Oats quiet; cash, 29c. Rye dull; cash, 48c. Clover seed steady; prime, cash and October, \$5.30; January, \$5.50; February, \$5.55. Receipts—Flour, 200 brl; wheat, 33,000 bu; corn, 11,000 bu; oats, 3,000 bu; clover seed, 1,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 4,000 brl; wheat, 32,000 bu; corn, 37,000 bu; clover seed, 500 bu. DETROIT, Oct. 21.—The market closed lower. Wheat—No. 1 white, 61c; No. 2 red. cash, 61%c; No. 3 red, 58%c; October, 64c; December, 71%c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 41c. Oats—No. 2 white, 32c; No. 2 mixed, 29c. Rye-No. 2 cash, 48c. Prime timothy steady. Receipts-Wheat, 34,000 bu; corn, 1,000 bu; oats, 6,000 bu.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 21.—Wheat quiet and lower; spot, 66%c; October, 66@66%c; November, 68%c; December, 75%c. Corn dull and easy; spot, 46%c; October, 46%c; November, 46%c asked; December, 44%@45c. Coffee and produce markets unchanged.

Dry Goods. NEW YORK, Oct. 21.-The week closed on a characteristic dry-goods market. The demand continues to be confined to lots needed for leveling up assortments, and in-cludes little or nothing in the way of an-ticipating future necessities, as the trade at large is still very conservative, distrusting the outcome of the silver legislation, and fearing tariff discussion. Some improvement in the demand for cotton goods is noted, notably for brown sheetings. There is a slow call for prints and printed fabrics, with prices easily maintained. Print cloths rule about steady; if anything, easier. Dress goods and woolens fail to improve. Agents are showing rather tempting assortments of spring goods, but buyers remain indifferent. There is but a dull market for foreign dry goods, with staple lines holding a steady relation to the rest of the market, which is rather weak. The jobbing trade seems to be picking up a little. The feature of the market is large in the absence of confidence, pending congressional developments.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21 .- Petroleum steady; United, no sales; Washington barrels, 5.50c; in bulk, 3c; Philadelphia, 5.10c; Philadelphia in bulk, 2.60c. Rosin steady; strained, common to good, \$1.171/2@1.20. Turpentine steady at 29@294c.

WILMINGTON, Oct. 21.—Rosin firm; strained, 85c; good, 90c. Spirits of turpentine firm at 26c. Tar steady at 90c. Turpentine firm; hard, \$1; virgin, \$1.60; soft, OIL CITY, Oct. 21.—National transit certificates opened at 70%c; highest, 70%c; lowest, 70%c; closed at 70%c. Sales, 5,000 brls.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 21.—Spirits of turpentine firm at 26½c. Rosin firm at \$1. NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 21 .- Cotton easy; middling, 7 15-16c; good middling, 8 3-16c; low middling, 7 11-16c; good ordinary, 7 5-16c. Net receipts, 17,651 bales; gross receipts, 19,031 bales; exports to Great Britain, 20,360

bales; to France, 6,081 bales; to the continent, 400 bales; coastwise, 4,700 bales; sales, 1,250 bales; stock, 32,200 bales. Metals.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Pig iron quiet; American, \$12@14.50. Copper steady; lake, 9.50c. Lead weak; domestic, 3.20c. Tin steady; straights, 20.80c; spelter steady; do-ST. LOUIS, Oct. 21 .- Lead steady at 3.10c; spelter firm at 3.25c.

LIVE STOCK. Cattle Scarce and Strong - Hogs Strong-Sheep Unchanged. INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 21. - Cattle-Receipts, 40° shipments, 400. There was but few fresh arrivals, and the market was strong at yesterday's prices. All sold early. Fair to medium cows..... 2.00@2.40 Common old cows..... 1.00@1.75 Hogs-Receipts, 1,800; shipments, 1,400. The quality was fair. The market opened active at strong prices and closed quiet, with ...... 6.00@6.65 Heavy ...... 6.00@6.60 Heavy roughs...... 4.50@6.00 Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 250; ship-

Bucks, per head...... 2.00@4.00

the same as yesterday.

Elsewhere. CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—The Evening Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts, 1,300, of which 1,000 were Texans; no Westerns. The mar-

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Good to choice sheep......\$3.00@3.35

ket was steady; everything sold. Shipments, 1.000. Top steers, \$5.60@5.80; medium, \$5.15@5.35; good, \$4:80@5.05; others, \$4.25@4.75; Tex-5.35; good, \$4:80@5.05; others, \$4.25@4.75; Texans, \$2.50@2.80; Westerns, \$3@4.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; shipments, 4,000. The market was active. Rough and common, \$5.95@6.10; mixed and packers, \$6.20@6.40; prime heavy and butcher weights, \$6.50@6.70; prime light, \$6.70@6.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,500; shipments, none. Prime natives, \$4@4.50; good to choice, \$3.75@4; mixed ewes and wethers, \$3@3.25; prime lambs, \$4.75@5; others, \$3@4.25.

EAST LIBERTY, Oct. 21.—Cattle-Receipts, 1,940; shipments, 1,420. Nothing doing; all through consignments. Twenty-three carloads of cattle shipped to New Hogs — Receipts, 2,250; shipments, 2,500.
The market was steady. Corn-fed hogs, \$6.70@7; grassers, 6.40@6.60. Ten carloads of hogs shipped to New York to-day and to-night.

Sheep-Receipts, 600; shipments, 800. The market was very dull and unchanged. Prospects unfavorable for next week. BUFFALO, Oct. 21.—Cattle slow, closing weak; Kansas cows and heifers, \$2.50@2.75; weak; Kansas cows and heifers, \$2.50@2.75; light 1,100-pound steers, \$3.65.

Hogs—The market was lower. Yorkers, light to best, \$6.55@6.70; good mixed packers, \$6.65@6.75; good mediums, \$6.70@6.75; choice heavy, \$6.75@6.80; pigs, \$6.25@6.55.

Sheep and Lambs—The market was steady for choice grades; others lower. Fair to best lambs, \$4@4.60; common, \$3.50@3.85; fair to best mixed sheep, \$2.50@3.65; extra wethers, \$3.75@4.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 21.—Cattle—The market was steady. Best butchers, \$3@3.40; fair to good butchers, \$2.25@2.75.

Hogs—The market was strong and 5@10c higher. Choice packing and butchers, \$6.25 @6.50; fair to good packing, \$6.20@6.25; good to extra light, \$6.25@6.30.

Sheep and Lambs—Good to extra shipping sheep, \$2.50@2.75; fair to good, \$2.25@2.50; extra lambs, \$3.65@3.75; fair to good,

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 21.-Cattle - Receipts, 1,400; shipments, 4,100. The market was steady. Top for Texas steers, \$3; top for

Hogs-Receipts, 200; shipments, 1,500. The market was strong. Choice light, \$6.40@ 6.60; mixed, \$6@6.45; heavy, \$6.20@6.50.

Sheep-Receipts, 700; shipments, 200. The market was steady. Good natives, \$3.75. CINCINNATI, Oct. 21.—Flour quiet. Wheat dull; No. 2 red, 62c. Receipts, 2,700 bu; shipments, none. Corn firmer; No. 2 mixed, 42@43c. Oats lower; No. 2 mixed, 29½c. Rye in light demand; No. 2, 51½c. Provisions in light demand and firm. Whisky quiet and firm; sales, 471 brls. Butter in light demand. Sugar steady. Eggs steady at 17c. Cheese steady and firm.

#### REAL-ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Nine Transfers Saturday, with Total Consideration of \$12,010. Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana. for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m., Oct. 21, 1893, as furnished by Elliott & Butler, abstracters of titles, Hartford Block. No. 84 East Market street:

Giles S. Bradley to Wm. A. Eck, lot 217, in Bradley et al.'s East Washington-street addition..... Samuel E. Morss, trustee, to Wil-liam H. Jordan, lot 5, in Doug-John T. Figg to William Caloway, lot 23, in block 6, in Indianapolis Car Company's addition.. Robert E. Poindexeter to Rebecca S. Pendleton, lot 26, in Murphy ler, lot 21, in block 4, in Walk-er's East Ohio-street addition... 850.00 Reinhard W. Feldkamp to Henry M. Hunt, part of lot 114, in But-ler's College Corner addition.... Margaret Rudicil to John Moore, lot 36, in Chambers's subdivision of Irvington.
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CROSS OF IVAN THE GREAT. Failure of Napoleon to Carry the Emblem of Faith to France.

Pall Mall Gazette. On the summit of the principal dome of the Kremlin at Moscow stands a gigantic cross placed there by Ivan the Great, the potentate who first adopted the title Czar and the double-headed eagle as his crest. The simple-minded moujiks believe this colossal emblem of their faith to be of gold, but as a matter of fact the material is iron, with a very thin coating of the precious metal. Napoleon when he took Moscow in 1812 resolved to carry off Ivan's cross and set it up on the cupola of the Invalides, and he directed Marshal Mortier, Duc De Treviso, to effect the removal. This was by no means an easy task, for the size and weight were enormous, and the height at which it was placed added to the difficulty.

At last one of the Russian convicts, whom Count Rostopchin had let loose before evac-uating the city, volunteered his aid. His services were accepted and proved extremey efficacious; nor did they go unrewarded. However, treason in this case did not prosper. On the very night that his labors were brought to a successful issue the wretched man got helplessly drunk and was robbed of his ill-gotten gains by a band of marauders. A few days later (Oct. 12) Napoleon marched out of the ruins of the capi-tal, carrying with him, among other booty, the famous cross. Early in November snow began to fall and soon the Grande Armee was reduced to a mere herd of stragglers miserably fighting its way across one white plain after another and leaving behind it slight elevations to mark the spots where whole regiments had been engulfed.

in order that their carriages might be used for fuel. When the convoy in charge of the plunder had reached a point between Mojalsk and Smoleusk despair made the men reckless. They threw into a lake coffers filled with diamonds, pearls and precious stones, vessels of gold and silver, historic treasures of untold value, retaining only the wood of the cases and carts wherewith to warm their wretched, worn-out bodies for the last time. The Cross of Ivan went with all the rest, and for some months lay concealed beneath the muddy waters. Then the peasants of the neighborhood, knowing its fate, fished it up again, and carried it back in triumph to the Holy City, where it was speedily re-stored to its former elevated position, testi-

fying by its reappearance to the inviola-bility of the Russian empire and the fu-tility of French ambition. Fall Plowing. Philadelphia Record.

Fall plowing is not approved by some farmers, but the objections relate more to circumstances and conditions peculiar to each farm rather than to the practice of fall plowing. The farmer who aims to make his work of plowing most profitable always aims to have something to turn under if possible, so as to add to the plant food of the soil, by growing a special crop for that purpose if he has time to do so after harvesting his regular crop. But whether green material is plowed under or not, there are many advantages derived by late fall plowing. It lessens the work that is urgent during the busy period of spring; it permits of spreading the manure and incorporating it with the soil, and it utilizes the frost as an active agent in reducing the soil to a fine condition and pulverizing the clods.

It has been claimed that it is a loss of time to plow stiff clay land in the fall, as the land will be as heavy in the spring as if left until spring before plowing. This depends upon conditions. Lime exerts a chemical action on soils, rendering light soils heavier and heavy soils lighter. Whenever the land is plowed in the fall lime should be applied broadcast, after the plowing. From ten to forty bushels per acre may be used, as preferred. It has a tendency to go down, and will be carried gradually to the lower soil by the rains and melting snows. It changes the soil partially by compelling the substances existing in it to form new combinations, which, though not sufficient to be very marked, yet the effect of the action of the lime will be perceptible sooner or later, and the land will be more easily worked by the plow in the succeeding spring; as all land plowed in the fall should be cross-plowed in the spring and before frost has finally de-

The frost, by its expansion of the par-ticles of earth, breaks all clods, and by the alternate thawing and freezing during the winter the soil becomes very fine be-fore spring. If spring plowing is done early there will be a few late frosts to pul-verize the soil again, which will prevent packing of the soil or formation of clods, and it matters not if the frost comes after the plowing has been done. Lime is an excellent pulverizer of the soil alone, as well as the frost, but a combination of frost and lime is one that is irresistable, and will bring the land to better condition for spring planting than can be done in any other manner. If lime was used more extensively the average crops would be greater, and if fall plowing was practiced and the soil broadcasted with lime, less work would be entailed on the farmer in the spring, while his crops would also be bene-fited from the plant food liberated by the

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